GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINORITY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:839
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MANAGEMENT OF SHRINE OF MOINUDDIN CHISTI
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Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had passed any Act for the management of the holy shrine of Moinuddin Chisti located at Ajmer(Rajasthan) in 1954;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether suggestions have been received by the Government from time to time for making amendments in the Dargah Act;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the action taken/ proposes to be taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

Minister of Minority Affairs(Shri A.R. Antulay)LOK SABHA

(a) and (b): The Durgah Khwaja Saheb Act, 1955 was enacted for the proper administration of the Durgah and the Endowment of the Durgah of Khawaja Moin-ud-din Chishti at Ajmer.

(c) to (e): A review of the Act has been undertaken recently.